

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 2001-507-E - ORDER NO. 2002-193

MARCH 18, 2002

IN RE:	Application of Palmetto Energy Center, LLC)	ORDER APPROVING ✓
	for a Certificate of Environmental)	WITHDRAWAL OF
	Compatibility and Public Convenience and)	PETITION TO
	Necessity to Construct and Operate a)	INTERVENE
	Generating Plant in Bradley Industrial Park in)	
	the Vicinity of Fort Mill, SC.)	

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (Commission) by way of a request from Greenville Generating Company, LLC (GGC) to withdraw its Petition to Intervene and Request for Leave to Take Depositions in this docket. On December 21, 2001, Palmetto Energy Center, LLC (Palmetto) filed an Application with the Commission for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Convenience and Necessity to construct and operate a generating plant in Fort Mill, South Carolina. On March 6, 2002, GGC filed a Petition to Intervene and Request for Leave to Take Depositions with the Commission in this proceeding. Thereafter, on March 7, 2002, GGC submitted a letter to the Commission for clarification of its Petition to Intervene and Request for Leave to Take Depositions, which provided that the Petition and Request were filed beyond the intervention deadline for this docket and therefore, the Petition was being submitted as "out-of-time" although this was not noted on the Petition.

GGC, on March 11, 2002, filed a letter with the Commission seeking leave to withdraw its Petition to Intervene and Request for Leave to Take Depositions.

Additionally, GGC states that copies of the letter requesting withdrawal of its Petition to Intervene and Request for Leave to Take Depositions have been served on Palmetto and all parties of record and such service is evidenced by GGC's Certificate of Service attached to the request for withdrawal. We have examined GGC's request to withdraw its Petition to Intervene and Request for Leave to Take Depositions and we find the request reasonable. GGC's request to withdraw its Petition to Intervene and Request for Leave to Take Depositions is hereby granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

1. The request of Greenville Generating Company, LLC to withdraw its Petition to Intervene and Request for Leave to Take Deposition is hereby granted.
2. This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of this Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:


Chairman

ATTEST:


Executive Director

(SEAL)